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Super. Examiner)Invention Entitled: Universal FAUCET & Shower Economizing Side-Mixer

-PETITION for EXTENSION of TIME-

1.) Outstanding Office-action Mailed Out On: 08 / August / 20022.) Original Period For Applicant-response Expires: 08 / Oct. / 20023.) Requesting Of Extension For: 2 Month(s) To: 08 / DEC. / 20024.) Small-entity Petition-fee Check Enclosed In The Amount Of: \$ 200.00Commissioner of Patents, U.S.Patent Office
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Sir:

In the above identified Patent-Application, pursuant to PTO/Rules: #136&17(a,d), the Applicant(s) hereby petitions that the period for response to the outstanding Office-action noted above be summarily extended for the additional monthly period as is indicated above on line-3. It is anticipated that a suitable Response to the Examiner's Office-action will be thus forthcoming from Applicant within the above requested time-extension period. Please note, that this needed extension is for preparation of a thoughtful Response, but shall not exceed the time over the statutory 6-month period from the official date of the PTO/Office-action.

RESPECTFULLY,

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